1	2	3	4
4.	Transmission System for Ennore (1800 MW)	15000	SR
5.	Transmission System for Karcham Wangtoo (1000 MW)	6200	NR
6.	Composite Transmission System for Kahalgaon. North Karanpura & Barh (5280 MW)	92000	NR
7.	Transmission System for Neyveli Thermal Power Station II & III (500 MW)	12500	SR
8.	Transmission System for Hirma-I (3960 MW)	58100	WR & NR

Corrupt officials in Delhi Police and civic authorities

* 535. SHRI KARTAR SINGH DUGGAL :

SHRI KHAGEN DAS :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) the total number of licensed hawkers and rickshaw pullers *vis-a-vis* unlicensed;

(b) whether it is a fact that five lakh street vendors in Delhi are forced to pay approximately Rs. 500 crores per year by way of bribes;

(c) whether it is also a fact that despite such heavy pay offs they are frequently beaten, abused and uprooted and driven out of the markets and deprived of their livelihood; and

(d) whether Government have any plan to put an end to this menace ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHENNAMANENI VIDYA SAGAR RAO) : (a) The number of licensed hawkers and cycle rickshaws in NDMC and MCD areas is given below :

	MCD	NDMC
Hawkers	—	2861
Rickshaws	73072	—

As per the survey conducted in 1998, there were approximately 20,000 unlicensed hawkers in MCD area. However, no survey of unlicensed rickshaw pullers has been made.

(b) to (d) In accordance with Section 420 of "The Delhi Municipal Corporation Act, 1994", no person shall without or otherwise than in conformity with the terms of a licence granted by the Commissioner in this behalf (a) hawk or expose for sale in any place any article whatsoever whether it be for human consumption or not; and (b) use in any place his skill in any handicraft or for rendering services to and for the convenience of the public for the purposes of gain or making a living. It is, therefore, the statutory responsibility of the municipal authorities to remove unauthorized hawkers from public places. However, in order to eliminate harassment and corruption in this area, the Municipal Corporation of Delhi have framed a scheme under which the applicants who were unable to secure open tehbazari rights have been made entitled for grant of hawking licences. The last date for receipt of applications in this regard expired on 27th August, 2001 and the scrutiny of applications received is in hand.

Atrocities on downtrodden tribals and Christians in Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand

†*536. SHRI BRATIN SENGUPTA : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the cases of atrocities on downtrodden, tribals and Christians in Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand have increased manifold;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of such cases that came to light during last three months, district-wise; and

(d) the steps taken by Government to check this rising trend ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI I.D. SWAMI) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The district-wise details of such cases as reported by the State Government of Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand for the period 1-5-2001 to 31-7-2001 are given in the Statements I and II. (*See* below) :

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.